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SUBJ: SPECIAL RECEPTION STUDY RL BROADCASTS IN USSR

REF: STATE 211929

1. IN-DEPTH STUDY OF RECEPTION RADIO LIBERTY BROADCASTS
CURRENTLY BEING CONDUCTED BY JOE SHERRILL.

2. OBSERVATIONS DURING EVENING/MORNING PERIOD SEPT.
9-10 MOSCOW/DACHA INDICATES THAT WHILE LOCATION IS FAR
ENOUGH AWAY FROM EFFECT OF MOSCOW GROUNDWAVE JAMMERS
OPERATING AGAINST RL RUSSIAN BROADCASTS, SKYWAVE JAMMERS
ARE STILL VERY EFFECTIVE PROHIBITING SATISFACTORY RE-
CEPTION OF RL SIGNAL AT DACHA. SKYWAVE JAMMING SEVERE
EXCEPT ON FRQUENCY 17895 KHZ WHEN JAMMING SIGNAL FADES
OUT AND RL SIGNAL BECOMES GOOD DURING PERIOD 1800-1900 GMT.

3. RECEPTION GOOD VOA RUSSIAN MORNING/EVENING BROADCAST
PERIODS ON AT LEAST TWO FREQUENCIES AT DACHA.

4. PLANNED ITINERARY AS FOLLOWS:

SEPT 10-14 MOSCOW

SEPT 15-19 LENINGRAD AND TALLINN

SEPT 20-23 KIEV/ZHITOMIR.

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